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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: : Group Art Unit: 4137
Timothy A. Dietz et al. : Examiner Brandi P. Parker
Serial No: 10/763,096 :
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Title: A SYSTEM FOR TRACKING :
DEFECTS IN RELEASED SOFTWARE : Customer No. 25,299
PRODUCTS ANCILLARY TO CUSTOMER:
SERVICE INQUIRES TELEPHONED : CONFIRMATION NO. 6048
TO CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTERS :
Date: 12/30/08 :

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Dear Sirs:

EXPRESS ABANDONMENT

Applicants hereby expressly abandon the patent
application identified above, but not the invention to which

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it pertains.

Respectfully submitted,

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